Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 28 May 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 29 May 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 27 May 2021 at 12:11

Confidence: High for a damp, cloudy day on Friday. Low for extent of low cloud on Saturday. High for dry and brighter weather from Sunday onwards.

Headline for Friday 28 May 2021: Dull with a little rain or drizzle

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 28 May 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Cloudy	Light rain	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
80%	70%	50%	40%	40%	30%	30%	30%

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Weather: Cloudy throughout with occasional light rain or drizzle, a few drier interludes too.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: Nil, low cloud expected to persist throughout the day.

Visibility: Poor in extensive low cloud down to 500 metres, and as low as 200 metres at times on some upslopes across the east.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/17 S	11/15 S	9/13 S	9/13 S	10/16 S	13/19 S	15/22 SE	15/21 SE	15/22 S
300	7/12 S	6/11 S	6/10 S	7/11 S	8/13 S	9/15 S	9/16 SE	8/14 SE	8/14 SE
Valley	6/11 S	5/10 S	5/9 S	6/10 S	8/13 S	8/14 SE	9/15 SE	8/13 SE	7/13 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/4	7/4	8/5	8/6	8/6	8/5	8/4	7/3	7/3
300	9/7	9/7	9/8	10/8	10/8	10/8	9/7	8/6	8/6
Valley	10/8	10/8	10/9	10/9	11/10	11/9	10/8	10/8	9/8
<< Freezing Level*	2500m	2400m	2300m	2300m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nil

Forecast for Saturday 29 May 2021

Weather: A cloudy morning with the chance of a little light rain or drizzle. Dry in the afternoon and evening with some sunny intervals breaking through.

Maximum wind: Southerly 15 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 50%

Visibility: Poor in extensive low cloud between 300 and 600 metres in the morning, this breaking and lifting off the hills in the afternoon. Low confidence in extent of low cloud at this stage.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 10 rising to 15 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 10 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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